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FOR:

A METHOD FOR REPLICATING A SURFACE RELIEF AND AN

ARTICLE FOR HOLDING A SURFACE RELIEF

## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

June 19, 2001

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2000, the period for response having been extended three (3) months from March 19, 2001 to June 19, 2001, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

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## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-35 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter contained therein.

Please add the following new claims.

--36. A method of replicating a surface relief, said method comprising

the steps of

providing a first layer of a non-metallic material which is held by a bearing metal substrate, and

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